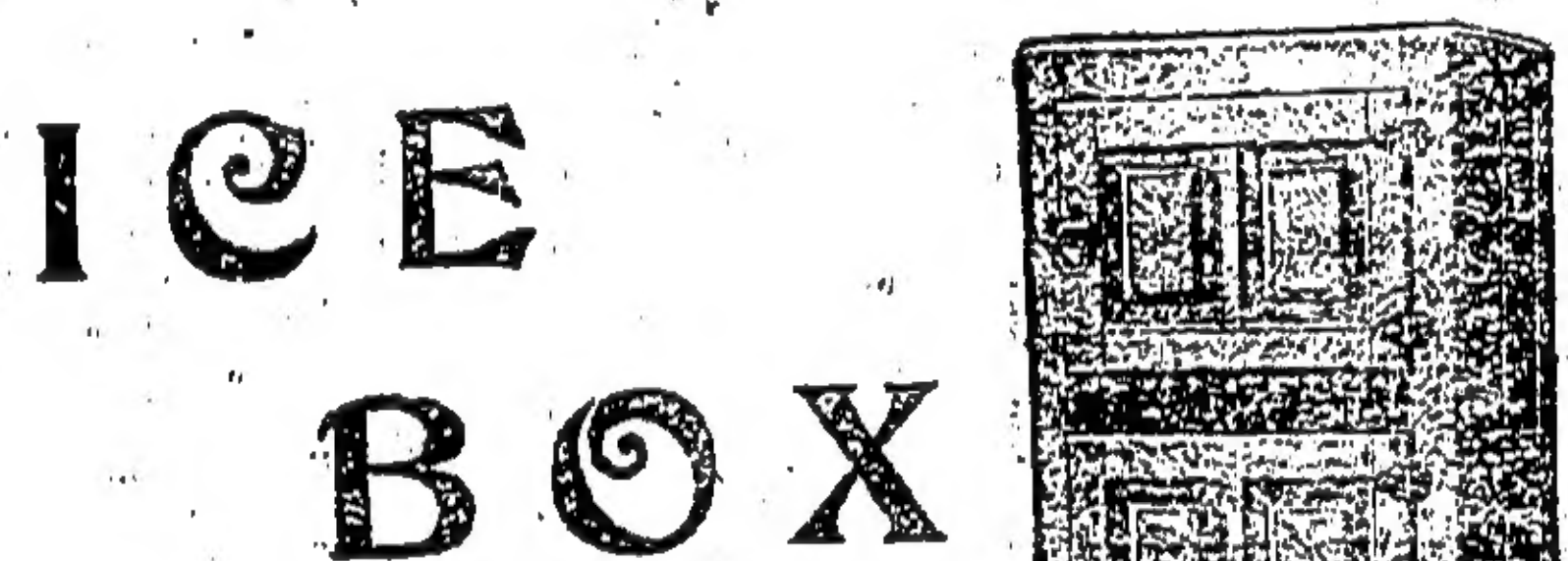


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Dated at Hongkong, this 17th day of
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Company will be CLOSED on THURS-
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By Order of the Board of Directors,
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KING GEORGE V. AS A SPORTSMAN.

Reviews of the book I have lately pub-
lished on "King Edward VII. as a Sports-
man" comment on the pleasure and bene-
fits His Majesty derived from his partici-
pation in those sports in which he delighted,
and in which he achieved such notable
success. In the book itself I have pointed
out how in this respect King Edward was
only following the example of nearly all his
Rajal predecessors on the throne of Eng-
land in those actively pursuing the sports
and pastimes which, whatever avillars may
say, it is generally believed have gone a
long way to make Britons what they are;
and I may add that it is not been for con-
siderations of space the chapter on "Kings
of England as Sportsmen" would have
been largely extended; but the volume
threatened to become superabundant
dimensions. I have shown that from the
days of King Alfred, when hunting was
referred to as "that most noble art," Eng-
lish nobles have taken special pride in
the endeavour to excel their subjects in
the field. Edward the Confessor, one of
the strictest and most pious of sovereigns,
is recorded to have "found his greatest
delight" when able "to follow a pack of
swift hounds in pursuit of game, and to
shoot them with his bow." A much
smaller tale is told of many of his suc-
cessors. I have quoted Macaulay as evidence
that Newmarket must have been almost as
favourite a resort of William III. as it was
of Edward VII. and William of Orange is
now memorable for his love of pleasure,
as is the Merry Monarch who gave the
name to the "Rowley Mile." But I must
not have drawn too extensively on the pages
of the volume in which these matters have
been discussed.

A question which interests lovers of
sport all over the world is how far King
George may be likely to emulate the ex-
ample of those who have gone before him,
and what degree of success he may be
expected to achieve as a sportsman? It is
gratifying to think that, so far as can be as-
certained, our present ruler will make his
mark deeply, and will be found amply
vigorous to have held his own when
additional pages have to be written in the
history of "Kings of England as Sports-
men." It is a matter of universal know-
ledge that King George is

ONE OF THE VERY BEST GAMES SHOT WHO
COULD BE FOUND
throughout the kingdom; and that this is so
furnishes proof of the steady perseverance
which is so admirable a quality in any man.
Everyone who has stood at the cover-side
with a gun in his hand, behind a screen
when partridges are being driven, or in a
bush when grouse are coming over, not to
speak of those who still enjoy the pleasure of
shooting over dogs in those more districts
where this is still practised, or of walking
up their birds, all these, I say, will entirely
agree with what Lord Ripon remarks in the
most interesting contribution which he was
good enough, after persuasion, to write.
"That practice makes perfect is in the
case of shooting only true to a modified
extent," he says; "for a man must be born
with a certain inherent aptitude to become a
really first-rate shot." It follows that King
George possessed this inherent aptitude;
but that he must have been at pains to
develop it is shown by the anecdote I was
enabled to give on the authority of Lord
Burnham. The owner of Hall Barn—where
King Edward discharged his last cartridge—
told me of a day when the then Prince of
Wales, who had been shooting over the
estate returned to the house, when sport
was over, and seating himself in the study
exclaimed, "I can't hit a feather! But I
have been at sea for a good many years,
and one doesn't come across many pheasants
there!" Some men, annoyed at their ill-
success, would have given up a sport in
which they appeared to disadvantage, and
sought some other amusement. This was
not the case with King George. He stuck
to it, and now abundantly enjoys the
reward.

It is often difficult to obtain an accurate
estimate of the skill of a great personage,
and this is no doubt especially the case
where a KING is concerned.
On the one hand, complimentary courtiers
are disposed to make the very best, possibly
a little more than the legitimate best—
sometimes a good deal more—of every-
thing a king does; but on the other hand
there are those who adopt an altogether
different standpoint, cynics with an invin-
cible disposition to believe that a king is
lauded merely because he is a king; that
it will be wise to discount by a liberal fifty
per cent. or so the tales which are told
about him. It is no flattery to say that
King George is verily one of the best
shots in England. Certainly there is no
Royal rival to success in this direction.
The one and only test is that of kills to
cartridges. The rocketing pheasant, the
swiftly-stealing grouse, the fleeing par-
tridge going down wind forty miles an
hour, do not with counter-like grooves drop
to earth because a Royal barrel is present-
ed at them. These birds have to be hit.

I have been rather at pains to ascertain
on the best authority what are the weak
points of King George as a game shot, and
after diligent inquiry can only hear of one.
A friend, whose judgment is undoubted
and who has enjoyed probably more op-
portunities than anyone else of judging by
observation, tells me that there are times
when His Majesty is in too much of a
hurry. High birds come out of the cover,
he does not give himself quite sufficient
time to deal with them effectively, and
is disappointed with the results, is apt to fail
to do himself justice in the rest of the bag.
In Lord Ripon's comments, to which I have
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In connection with the Circular issued to
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Room, CITY HALL, on MONDAY, the
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The following Resolution will be pro-
posed:
That all Hongkong Exporters of Chinese
produce other than Tea and Silk do hereby
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entered into between themselves and
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ber, 1911, the following Clause:—
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description, quality, assortment, weight,
&c., shall be as above described and that
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or in any way invalidate any of, such
conditions. Should after delivery of the
goods, all or any portion of the goods, prove
not to agree with above description, or
quality, or assortment, or weight, or any
other condition, the same shall be exam-
ined within _____ weeks after being landed,
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Chamber of Commerce or chosen by the
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the Consignee, without any reference to
either of the parties to this Contract. If
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person shall be nominated by such two
Arbitrators and act as Umpire.
The final decision of either such two
Arbitrators and/or Umpire shall be
final and binding to all parties to this Con-
tract both in Court and without.
By Order,
Z. A. M. WILLIAMS,
Secretary.
Hongkong, July 14, 1911.

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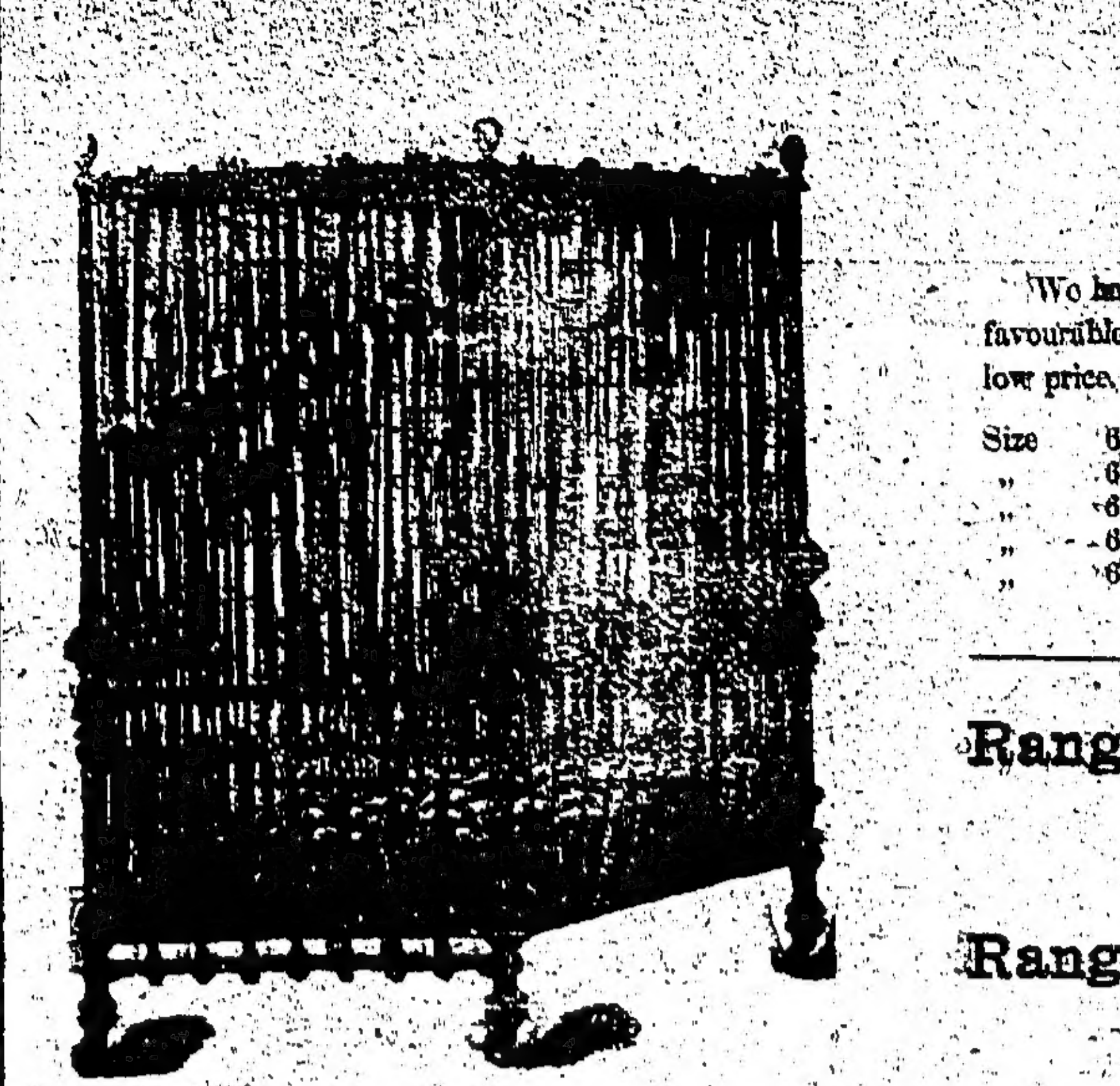
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about 38 per cent, India 28 per cent, the United States 14 per cent, and Japan 12 per cent. The great fluctuations in the trade are carefully noted—"changes so radical and so sudden that they can be explained only on the ground that the bulk of China's cotton supply is more or less independent of foreign sources." A common explanation of these fluctuations is the speculation in cotton imports carried on by Chinese traders, particularly those in and near Shanghai. Although not an adequate explanation of the fluctuations, this speculation, says Mr. Anderson, is a feature of the trade, and it is important in that it illustrates and rests upon certain primary principles that are exemplified in China better than anywhere else because of the exceptional conditions obtaining here.

Mr. Anderson hits the nail on the head when he declares that so long as the Chinaman can grow cotton, gin it, spin it, and weave and dye it more cheaply, length of wear and all things considered (including the fact that often the work of women and children on cloth is labour that otherwise would be lost), than he can buy foreign cloth, he makes and wears his own cotton goods. The minute the foreign product can be secured at the same or a lower price, all things considered, he takes that, since it is more attractive and has other qualities more acceptable than his own product. The price of foreign goods in China depends upon the price of cotton in the United States and abroad generally, and upon freights to China—in general, upon the foreign price. However, high prices for cotton goods in the United States do not mean that the Chinese consumer must or will pay more for such goods. It means he will largely do without foreign cotton goods and make his own. He is more or less independent of foreign cotton goods all the time; he always has a reserve to fall back upon, and this he does persistently. The result is that in years of low prices for cotton abroad the imports into China are large. The same result is caused by the high value of silver in China and, under normal conditions, by the high value of copper currency in terms of silver, so that a year of high exchange value for silver and copper is to all intents and purposes in China a year of low prices for cotton abroad. It may be well to add that in adjusting these exchange relations in China itself the value of copper is the more important element.

The report deals at some length with the unsatisfactory sales methods represented in the auction system and the unduly long credits given, and goes on to point out that the disposition of American mills to insist upon cash against documents or an approved short-time credit before the goods leave their warehouses has thrown the business more into the control of strong concerns with ample banking connections. In fact, without ample banking accommodations business is particularly difficult. Coming to the cause of America's falling-off in the trade, Mr. Anderson says that the steady decrease in the sale of American cottons is through no unpopularity of the goods or any unfriendliness on the part of the Chinese buyer or consumer. "As a rule, he says, American fabrics are too good for the market and decreased sales are due almost altogether to the refusal of American cotton manufacturers to adapt their goods to the market needs, and to meet competition in other ways. American goods stand very high in Chinese markets, possibly too high for continued business at corresponding prices. Japan's trade, we are told, is steadily increasing in spite of a general decrease in trade from other nations, and cotton experts declare that a continuance of present conditions will shut American cottons out of markets they have been enjoying for many years, and that the trade now being lost will never be recovered unless there is a complete revolution in American prices—a revolution so complete as to change the whole course of cotton trade the world over. These experts agree, and there is, says Mr. Anderson, really no question about the matter.

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The number of persons reported to the Po Leung Kuk as missing in Hongkong during last year, was 221, of whom only 48 were found. The corresponding figures for 1909 were 238 and 57. The number of boys reported missing was 90 as against 97 in 1909. The total number of persons reported missing, including reports from China and Macao, was 395. Of these, 75 were reported to have been found. The corresponding figures for 1909 were 390 and 50. (For 1908, 181 and 48.)

The number of admissions to the Tung Wah Hospital has risen again and is 4,267 for 1910, as against 3,723 in 1909. The proportion of those receiving European treatment remains practically the same. The number of out-patients was 111,749. The percentage receiving European treatment has risen from 4 to 7.9. The number of deaths in the hospital was 2,084, of these 1,918 were sent to the hospital by the Registrar General.

In June and July of last year, says the report of the Registrar-General, representations were made by the District Watchmen Committee regarding an increase in the number of Trind Societies, and of bad characters, and it was asserted that a general feeling of insecurity prevailed. The Officer-Administering the Government and heard their views and vigorous measures have been taken to free the Colony of undesirable people.

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COLONIAL DEBATE.

THE IMPERIAL TRADE COMMISSION.

Crown Colonies not Included.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

During the debate on the Colonial Estimates in the House of Commons, Mr. Lytton said that apart from the discussion of foreign affairs the results of the Imperial Conference were disappointing. He asked for some definite information with reference to the Royal Commission which the Conference decided to appoint to enquire into the trade relations of the Empire, especially as it affected the Crown Colonies and India and fiscal matters.

The Right. Hon. Mr. L. Harcourt said the resolution of the Conference binds the Commission to make no reference to the fiscal policy of any part of the Empire. Nor was it intended that the Commission should enquire into such matters as a tax on corn. It must always be assumed that the terms of reference would be roughly the terms of the resolution, but speeches by Mr. Lytton and others had made him realise that the resolution was not sufficiently water-tight, and he therefore would not hesitate to amend the references accordingly. The Commission, he added, does not apply to India or the Crown Colonies.

Proceeding, Mr. Harcourt said it was unfair to measure the accomplishments of the Conference merely by the resolutions which had been passed. Referring to the unwillingness of the Premiers to accept his proposal for a Standing Committee, Mr. Harcourt said ultimately the position was stated, "Young man, you are going too far." "I," said Mr. Harcourt, "had to accept the position as one in which no British Minister had ever been before, but I willingly accepted the decision of the Conference." The speaker added that the consultations held on the matter of Imperial defence had been most successful and were of great value.

[Note.—The suggestion of appointing an Imperial Trade Commission was made by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, on behalf of the Dominion, and supported by Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, and Newfoundland. The Commission will, it is expected, consist of about twelve members, and on it all the Dominions will be proportionately represented. The Commission will visit the various parts of the Empire, and enquire on the spot into such matters as unification of laws, emigration, shipping, cables, telegraphy, and other matters bearing upon trade relations. It is expected that the Commission will be constituted and leave England before the beginning of the next year.—Ed. C.M.]

SIR MATTHEW NATHAN.

CHAIRMAN OF INLAND REVENUE BOARD.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

Sir Matthew Nathan, Secretary to the Post Office, has been appointed Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, on the appointment of Sir Robert Chambers as Permanent Secretary to the Treasury in succession to Sir G. H. Murray, who has retired.

[Note.—Sir Matthew Nathan is well-known in Hongkong, having been Governor here prior to Sir Frederick Lugard's appointment in 1907. The salary of the office to which he has now been appointed is £2,000, the same as that of the office he is vacating.—Ed. C.M.]

CORRESPONDENCE.

PORTUGAL NOT A RECOGNIZED REPUBLIC.

(To the Editor of the "China Mail.")

Sir—In my previous correspondence published in your valuable paper with regard to the recognition of the Portuguese Republic by the Powers, I said rightly that the Powers would not recognize it unless a properly constituted government be formed. Although it has been published elsewhere that the Republic has been formerly proclaimed and a new Parliament has been opened, yet I say, and insist on saying, that the so-called Republic will not be recognized by the Powers until wise and sensible laws come to be enforced and the present dictatorial nonsense be abolished, as well as the scandalous law for the separation of the Church and the State. This was my prediction and I see it partly confirmed in your last night's columns that Great Britain, Germany, France and Italy have mutually agreed not to recognize the Republic of Portugal so long as the religious question in Portugal is left unsettled. Well done! Unless the devil comes to play his tricks on the Ministers, no such recognition will ever take place—never, I predict.

The opinion expressed by the heavy and loyal Captain Paiva Couceiro will no doubt prevail, and Portugal will never attain her independence under the new regime. I concur with this trustworthy opinion. Honest and straightforward men can renege the glorious traditions of Portugal, but not the present regime. God bless them.—Yours, etc.

OBSERVER.

[Continued.]
THE VETO CRISIS.

DECIDING POINT REACHED.

Speeches in the Lords.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

The House of Lords was last evening thronged in anticipation of the veto question being brought to a head by the third reading of the Parliament Bill. Peers, diplomats, distinguished Colonials and Indians in picturesque attire occupied seats in the Galleries.

Lord Morley, in moving the third reading of the Parliament Bill, emphasized the point that it was a transformed Bill, which he hoped and believed the House would pass. Its rejection would involve a tremendous dislocation of business and greatly exasperate Parliamentary and political opinion. He affirmed that the amendments which had been made to the Bill impaired the authority and privilege and prestige of the House of Commons. Lord Morley added that he hoped that this inevitable operation could be carried through without any social shock. This was the only passage of the speech which could be construed as an allusion to the creation of Peers.

Lord Lansdowne said the amendments were so essentially important that they could not recede from them so long as they remained free agents.

Lord Halsbury said they would never allow the Bill to pass undivided without its amendments.

Lord Willoughby de Broke said he should only abstain from taking part in the division on the distinct understanding that Lord Lansdowne's amendments were the irreducible minimum which the Opposition could accept.

BILL PASSES THIRD READING.

LATER.
The House of Lords has passed the third reading of the Parliament Bill without a division.

Lord Lansdowne, in the course of his speech, said the Opposition has gone five-sixths of the way to meet the Government in the Constitutional crisis, and the Government now had all the materials of a honourable settlement.

AMENDMENTS TO BE INSISTED ON.

Lord Halsbury presided at a meeting of Peers held yesterday afternoon, at which a strong feeling was expressed that in the event of the House of Commons striking out the amendments, the Lords should insist on them.

It has been announced that Unionists of all shades of opinion are to attend a meeting at mid-night to decide the future policy of the party.

The Cabinet will meet to-morrow to consider what action the Government shall take in the crisis.

SPECULATIONS.

LATER.
Lord Lansdowne's reference to "free agents" is interpreted to mean that it is the intention of the Peers to ultimately yield.

The Daily Graphic believes that Lord Lansdowne will support the Government if Lord Halsbury and Lord Willoughby de Broke press their resistance when the Bill is returned to the House of Lords.

LORD KITCHENER.

TO SAIL IN SEPTEMBER.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

Lord Kitchener, the newly-appointed British Agent in Egypt, is to leave for Egypt sometime during the end of September.

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THE LIVERPOOL CUP.

AN OUTSIDER WINS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

In the Liverpool Cup Races is to be ridden by Crisp.

LATER.
The Liverpool Cup Race has resulted as follows:—

Dalma Crag 1
King Midas 2
Humourist 3

There were eleven starters and the winner got home with two lengths to spare, a neck separating the second and third.

The betting was:—100 to 8 agst Dalma Crag, 7 to 1 agst King Midas, 100 to 7 agst Humourist.

LATER.
On the inside distance Dalma Crag took command and won easily.

CONSTANTINOPLE
OFFICIAL RESIGNS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

A message from Constantinople says that Mr. Wilcox, adviser of Public Works in Turkey, has resigned.

CARDIFF STRIKE GROWS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

All grades of workers at Cardiff docks have struck in sympathy with the seamen.

THE CHIEF RABBI'S FUNERAL.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

The funeral of the Chief Rabbi (Dr. Adler) took place at Willesden. The obsequies were simple but impressive. His Majesty the King was represented.

ANTARCTIC EXPEDITION.

THE AURORA LEAVES ON TUESDAY.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 21.

The Australian Antarctic expedition ship Aurora is to leave London on Tuesday. She will call at Capetown and thence proceed to Hobart, where the leader of the expedition (Dr. Mawson), his staff, etc., will embark. A monoplane is to be carried, and this is now being tested at Brooklands.

THE INSURANCE BILL.

PROGRESS IN THE COMMONS.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)
LONDON, July 20.

In committee of the House of Commons, Clause 10 of the Insurance Bill was adopted last evening after a narrow division, Mr. Lloyd-George refusing to burden the Treasury by concessions demanded from all sides of the House.

Discussion on Clause 11 continued all night, the Labourites vehemently objecting to the exclusion of persons receiving like benefits under the Compensation Act. They forced a division, despite an earnest appeal by Mr. Lloyd-George. The Clause was adopted by 99 votes to 23.

HONGKONG CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT CO.

Dividend of \$1.25.

Subject to audit, the Directors of the Hongkong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Co., Ltd., will recommend at the half-yearly meeting of shareholders, to be held on August the 8th, the payment of a dividend of \$1.25 per share, or \$100,000, with the book value of steamers, properties and wharves \$25,000; transfer to depreciation and insurance fund, \$10,000; transfer to special repairs fund \$5,000; and carry forward to new account \$24,228.30.

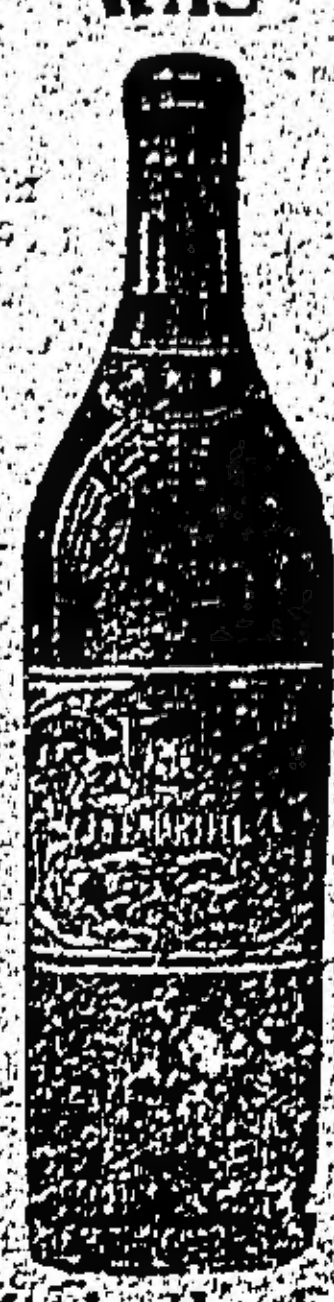
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THE PERSIAN EMBROGLO.**EXPEDITION AGAINST EX-SHAH.**

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, July 20.

A message from Tehran states that the Majlis has empowered the Government to proclaim the most rigorous martial law.

An expedition starts forthwith against the ex-Shah consisting of 500 Bakhtiari, 500 reformed cavalry and a number of volunteers, while 2,000 Bakhtiari are marching against Salard and Dauleh, the ex-Shah's brother.

THE COMPLAINTS AGAINST RUSSIA.

LONDON, July 21.

A Tehran message says it is understood that Persia contemplates forwarding a strong Note to the British and Russian Legations recalling Persia's frequent representations on the subject of the ex-Shah's intrigues since his departure and expressing surprise and regret at Russia's failure to observe the promise contained in Article XI of the Protocol signed on August 20th, 1909. Persia maintains that Russia will be responsible for any disorders or losses of property resulting from the ex-Shah's landing.

Telegrams from St. Petersburg affirm that Russia was wholly ignorant of the ex-Shah's escape.

GERMAN DEMANDS.**EYE ON FRENCH CONGO.**

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, July 20.

The Times understands that Germany demands the complete cession of the coast and interior of French Congo up to Sangha river, including Libreville and Loango, and also France's rights of pre-emption in the Congo States.

IMPERIAL COURT OF APPEAL.**PROPOSALS OUTLINED.**

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, July 20.

A Blue Book has been issued which summarizes the Imperial Conference's proposals of the 13th ultimo for a Court of Appeal, to which the Conference agreed.

It is proposed to combine the House of Lords and the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council into a Supreme Court of Appeal for the Empire. The Government adds two selected Judges to the Lords. The appeal practice of the Judicial Committee will be modified in accordance with the wishes of the Dominion representative, by allowing a dissenting judge to give reasons in Dominion cases.

LONDON, July 21.

Mr. Harcourt, speaking in the House of Commons, said the arrangements in connection with the Court of Appeal had given ample satisfaction in every Dominion.

BISLEY SHOOTING.**THE LATEST RESULTS.**

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

LONDON, July 20.

In the match for the Alexandra Prize a Scotsman and a Welshman tied with a score of 69 each. Irvine of Tinsin with 68 points was third, and Tiffin, of Rhodesia, was eighth (fourth) with a score of 67.

LATER.

A Canadian, Private Clifford, won the Prince of Wales' Prize, his score being 81, while the Rhodesian, Tiffin, was second with a score of 80.

[Note.—The Alexandra Prize (7 shots at 200 and 600 yards) was last year won by Pto. A. C. Fulton, 16th Company of London, whose score was 80. The Prince of Wales' Prize (7 shots at 300 and 10 shots at 600 yds.) was won by Sergt. Major Wallington, School of Musketry, who scored 85.—D. C.M.]

LONDON, July 21.

The shot for the Kolapore Cup resulted as follows:—

England	750
Canada	750
S. Africa	733
Guernsey	733
New Zealand	720
India	698

England won as having the best score at the last range.

[Note.—The conditions of this shoot are: seven shots each at 300, 600 and 600 yards. Last year England won with a score of 798, Canada being second with 796, Australia third with 777 and Guernsey fourth with 770.—D. C.M.]

PREPARE FOR EMERGENCY.

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THE ASSAULT CASE.**Further Hearing.**

The assault case by neighbours at Nos. 4 and 5, Morton Terrace, Causeway Bay, was continued before Mr. F. A. Hazeland, at the Magistrate's this afternoon. Mr. A. J. Walters, Chief Engineer of the s.s. Charles Harcourt, and Mrs. Walters, summoned Theodore Braun, an owner of the Sugar Refinery. There was a cross summons against complainant and his wife.

Mr. Reader Harris appeared for Braun. Mr. J. H. Gardiner for Walters.

Dr. Harston testified that Mrs. Walters came to see him on Friday morning and having examined her he found her left wrist very much bruised, the bones of the wrist being very tender. A considerable amount of force must have been used and the injury would have caused a great deal of pain.

The rickshaw eolio gave evidence as to picking up a fare near the Fire Brigade Station about 2.30 p.m. The fare was Braun. After the journey to the hotel and back Braun offered 12 cents and when he asked for more Braun took away 5 cents and struck him. Braun then upset the rickshaw and witness went for a policeman. Subsequently at the police station Braun gave him 40 cents more.

Cross-examined by Mr. Harris, Braun did not get into his rickshaw at the new Post Office and go straight to Morton Terrace.

Mr. A. J. Walters was cross-examined by Mr. Harris. He had about a dozen big hens and a dozen chickens. He never kept cocks.

How many does Mr. Gibson keep?—I don't know.

There are three hen-coops there?—Yes. When did you last keep pigs?—I never kept pigs.

You know Mrs. Goulding?—Yes. She would not be telling the truth if she said you kept two pigs in the house?—No. I kept a pig last Christmas in my brother's kitchen.

You keep the chickens in the house at night?—Yes.

Do you count them?—No. I leave the house every night.

Where is the pig now, is it dead?—Dead. It is eaten.

Why did you come down into the road?—Because the man called me names.

What did you intend to do?—I came down to tell defendant I was going to give him in charge.

The police could see this assault?—The police were coming towards me.

Why did Mr. Dixon bring out the stick with him?—I don't know.

Have you ever seen the stick before?—It is my stick.

Mrs. Walters brought the stick out?—I got it from Dixon.

Did you, after the assault, give the stick back to your wife?—I gave it to the police.

Did you consult the doctor about the bruise in your face?—No, I did not.

Why didn't your wife go that day or the next day to consult the doctor?—I don't know.

Did you wife strike Mr. Braun at all?—No.

When you struck Mr. Braun with the stick were you facing him?—Yes.

You took it in both hands and struck him twice?—Yes.

Did he try to protect himself?—I don't know.

Did you strike him?—I didn't you strike or attempt to strike him?—No.

Mr. F. Fisher, Sanitary Inspector, produced the petition sent in by Braun and said he went and inspected the whole row on July 2. He found some chickens there but no pigs.

Further evidence was called and the case was adjourned.

SUMMARY COURT SUMMONSES.

The summons by Miss Marion Gains against C. S. Sammi for \$43.60 was adjourned for a week by Mr. Justice Gompertz, at the Supreme Court this morning.

The case by An Chiu Tung against A. S. Watson and Co., Ltd., for \$1,000 was also adjourned for a week.

Mr. J. H. Gardiner, for plaintiff, was given permission to prove the case of E. Niedham against a man named Newton for \$8.60 in Chambers tomorrow.

Mr. Otto Kong Sing mentioned the case of Messrs. A. Tack and Co., against Messrs. Arndt and Co., for \$225, which he said had been settled.

The case by W. Shewan for \$231.74, against the administratrix of the estate of R. H. McMahon, deceased, was adjourned sine die.

Mr. W. E. L. Shenton appeared for Fung Ping U, a clerk in Messrs. Deacon, Looker and Deacon, who was sued by Bhagat Singh to recover \$105. Mr. Shenton said there was another claim against him last week and defendant was paying as much as he could.—His Lordship said if these people only came to him after the first promissory note he would grant them relief. He made an order for instalments at \$15 a month.

J. H. McHenry, admitted \$220.40 being due to D. H. McHenry of the King Edward Hotel and asked for a stay of execution for ten days.—Mr. Moore, for plaintiff, said his client was not willing to consent to that as he was afraid defendant would go away. Security was eventually accepted.

The strength of the District Watchman's force is now 122 men against 108 in 1900. It was found necessary during last year to extend the patrols further as the Chinese population of Victoria spread up to the higher levels of the town, and to give better protection in certain parts of the town.

The Secretary of the Hongkong Chamber of Commerce sends a copy of a Proclamation by the Commonwealth of Australia prohibiting from and after the 1st day of August, 1911, the importation into the Commonwealth of goods packed in bags or sacks whose contents exceed two hundred pounds in weight, and which, in regard to unshipped, must necessarily be carried on the backs of the persons employed in handling the same.

AN OPEN SECRET.

MANY ask the reason for the continued and increasing demand for Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The secret is that it never fails to give relief. The middle aged man of to-day remember it as the remedy given them by their mothers for camp colic and dysentery when they were children, and its reputation as a positive cure for such ailments is still maintained. Mr. Kennedy has ever been produced in its equal for the prompt relief of pain. For sale by all Chemists and Druggists.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.**Lecture at the City Hall.**

Mr. W. D. McCrackan, M.A., C.S.B., lectured at the City Hall last night on Christian Science. He was introduced by Mr. George E. Andersen, U.S. Consul-General.

The platform was tastefully decorated with palms, evergreens, flowers, etc., and presented a charming appearance. A very attentive hearing was given to the lengthy lecture and the lecturer, before he commenced, was asked by Colonel Stapole if he was prepared to answer questions at the close. Mr. McCrackan replied that he was not.

The Chairman introduced the lecturer, and said:—It may be superfluous to make any announcement of it, but I think I should say that I am not a Christian Scientist; I really know little of the real tenets or teachings of the Christian Scientist Church. However, I recognize in it, as I think all reasonable men recognize in it, a distinctively uplifting factor in modern religious discussion. There are several hard facts about the Christian Scientist movement which challenge attention. It is a movement which commenced something like a score of years ago in the work and writings of a lone woman. It is a movement which, unique among religious movements, has appealed to the intellectual classes rather than to the mass of people. It has profoundly affected all other militant religious organizations, and has compelled some of them to undertake work hitherto foreign to religious effort. Now whether we accept its teachings or not, I think that all reasonable men must recognize its accomplishment in having built up a world-wide organization upon the basis of teaching an increased capacity of the human soul and faith in God. The centre of this great organization, which has been built up in the past few years, is the First Church of Christ Scientist in Boston, Massachusetts, —the mother church as it is more generally called. Attached to this home church there is a board of lecturers composed of men of the Christian Science faith who have accomplished something beyond the ordinary in life, in literature, or some other branch of intellectual endeavour. Among the members of this board of lecturers is Mr. E. McCrackan who has distinguished himself as a writer, traveller, and lecturer. I have pleasure in now introducing Mr. McCrackan, who will address you.

After addressing himself to the question of "What is God?", the lecturer went on to quote Mrs. Eddy's definition of Christian Science as "the law of God, the law of God through spiritual sense, the beneficent law of God in clearness and he was able to reject the discordant testimony of material sense. Then came the demonstration or proof of harmony as normal and natural. He who followed the leadings of Christian Science not only learned the lecturer of its teachings, but also proved their correctness by saving the sinner, comforting the sorrowing, and healing the sick. Christian Science thus became a daily help for daily needs, the Comforter which loathed into all truth, available at all times and under all circumstances.

Proceeding, Mr. McCrackan said:—It will hardly be necessary here to insist upon the fact that religion should save the sinner. Whatever may be the doctrines which divide the various branches of Christendom, all are agreed at least upon this point, that it is the natural work of religion, the business of Christianity, to save the sinner. But there is no such agreement among the various denominations upon the question of healing the sick, at least, not as yet. Jesus healed the sick, his disciples and apostles healed the sick, the early Christians for some three or four hundred years after the crucifixion, healed the sick, by spiritual means; but during the intervening centuries the world has been more and more relegated to the healing of the sick to a special profession, using material means. Since Mrs. Eddy's discovery of Christian Science the healing of Jesus' time has been reinstated, in accordance with his unmistakable injunction to his followers, and to-day hundreds of thousands of men, women, and children in all portions of the globe rise up to bless the name of the good and happy God, through whose teachings they have been delivered from pain and sorrow, from the fear of torment and the despair of godlessness.

The lecturer proceeded to deal with Mrs. Eddy's early life and her quick recovery from the result of an accident, through the revelation of her spiritual meaning of the Bible, which led to her discovery of Christian Science in 1826. Continuing, he asked:—But what are some of the chief results of Christian Science, what the principal reason for its hold upon the gratitude of mankind? First of all, its teachings obliterate any supposed reasons for pessimism. If it were really true, as public opinion has been only too prone to believe during the passing centuries, that God, the First Cause and Being Principle, is the author of evil as well as of good, then despite would be justified, for the struggle against evil would be hopeless. If evil could point to omnipotence as its author, it could not be successfully opposed, for it would have divine sanction. In that case, how it would seem that his existence is of the very best. He was in the Far East some 25 years ago, and he was in Hongkong, taking his big show dress from Singapore to Australia. The circus has had a phenomenally successful six-weeks run in Calcutta, while at Calcutta the papers said it was the first circus ever seen there. The performances were attended by the Governor-General, and staff for three nights in succession. Altogether, the circus has 35 articles, all Europeans, as well as its own European orchestra. After finishing in Hongkong, it is to be visited for three nights at Melbourne, the strong given at Melbourne, and then to Australia.

Christian Science gives ground for this natural hope, but it does more than that. It instructs men in the rudiments of true faith and shows them why this hope of salvation is justified by metaphysical facts. Faith then readily ripens into understanding, as the student makes practical application of the latter. From the very start new vistas of great possibilities open the learner on his way, and more important still, the actual proofs of God's infinite power and goodness encourage him to take the necessary footsteps. To follow in this way is to walk with God, to commune with Spirit, to rejoice oneself with the mercy that cometh down as the dew from heaven, to have fellowship with Christ Jesus, to gain an intimate insight into his sayings and his works, and to be useful here and now to those with whom we associate. A career which opens in this way will never close, but will continue for ever, developing more and more the truth about the infinite number of ideas which constitute God's universe.

SPORTING.**Boxing.****SOUTH AT THE CIRCUS.**

The boxing competition promoted by Mr. Bynack opened at the Circus last night when some good, hard nailing was seen. Seratun (K.O.Y.L.I.) won his bout, as also did McGee (R.G.A.).

Undoubtedly the best bout of the evening was that between Sumner Tower of Submarine C 38 and Gunner Kingland, R.G.A. Tower was indeed a surprise packet, and Kingland had the shock of his life. The seaman hit out with the power of a giant, and punished his man pretty severely. In the second round Kingland was down for six, and after some severe handling he retired beaten, the verdict being given to his opponent.

Mr. J. Dempsey was the referee and Mr. Walker time-keeper. The semi-finals will come off to-night.

The Gymkhana Programme.

The Programme of The Fourth Meeting of the Hongkong Gymkhana Club to be held at Happy Valley, on Saturday, 19th August, 1911. (Weather Permitting) is as follows:—

1.—3.30 p.m.—FIVE FURLONGS FLAT RACE.—For Subscribers' Grifins of any Season, which have not won at this Season's Club Gymkhana and have not run in the Gymkhana Stakes this at Season's Gymkhana.

2.—3.30 p.m.—GYMKHANA STAKES.—Value \$100. Distance One Mile. For all China Ponies.

3.—4.10 p.m.—TEST PRIZING IN SELECTION OF THREE.—Open to teams, mounted on any Chinese Ponies, of any of the members of the Gymkhana Club.

4.—4.30 p.m.—THREE QUARTER MILE FLAT RACE.—HANDICAP.—For all China Ponies.

5.—4.50 p.m.—LADIES' NOMINATION, THREE FURLONGS SCURRY.—For China Ponies, Subscription Grifins of any season and hand sold Polo Ponies certified as such by the Secretary Hongkong Polo Club and which have been regularly played prior to the 8th June 1911. Catch weights 152 lbs.

6.—5.10 p.m.—ONE AND A QUARTER MILE FLAT RACE.—HANDICAP.—For all China Ponies.

A TREAT FOR HONGKONG.**Two Circuses Combine.**

Hongkong is next week to have a grand treat in the form of a combination of Ellis' and Bynack's circuses, as a result of which no fewer than 50 artists will contribute to the fine series of programmes which have been drawn up. The combine starts on Monday for one week only, and the public will learn with great interest that there is to be no increase in the charges for admittance.

The combine came about in this way. Mr. Frank Ellis has just been giving some fine shows in Saigon, and he arranged for his mammoth aggregation of talent to visit Hongkong, arriving on Sunday next. When it was discovered that already Mr. Bynack was in the field the idea of a combination suggested itself, and as both proprietors are old friends the arrangements were completed.

Mr. Frank Ellis is a prince among amusement caterers. It was he who took Tipi Camp and a party of 700 Boers to the 56. Last September he showed his show for six weeks on a life covering over seven and a half acres. He was also the sole organizer of the Savage South Africa Exhibition at the Earl's Court, London.

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IN THE COURTS.

A coolie named Yang So, who was formerly a store-keeper at the Central Police Station, stole from a locked drawer on August 3, 1908, a number of cigarettes and \$37 in money belonging to P. C. Kemp. He got clear away at the time but when he came back last week he was arrested and at the Magistrate's this morning a sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed.

Inspector A. Langley charged a sampan woman with being in possession of 50 lbs of dynamite and a fine of \$100 was imposed. A coolie of the Naval Yard stole 5 lbs of brass and when arrested by an Indian policeman it was all nicely wrapped up in brown paper. Defendant told Mr. F. A. Hazeland that he was unaware that the brass was in the paper. A sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed.

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	For Havre, Hamburg & Antwerp
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22nd July connecting with s.s. Katanga... 12th August.

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Hongkong, April 1, 1911.

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FROM HONGKONG	FROM CALCUTTA
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From the West Wallend and Aberdare Mines (New South Wales) always on hand.

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Hongkong, February 8, 1911.

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CONNECTING with the Western Pacific Railway at San Francisco to all points in
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PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (Subject to Alteration).

Steamer	Tons	Captain	Date of Sailing
TENYO MARU	21,000	E. BERT	Friday, July 28, Noon
NIPPON MARU	11,000	H. S. SMITH	Friday, Aug. 18, Noon
CHIYO MARU	21,000	W. W. GREENE	Friday, Sept. 15, Noon
AMERICA MARU	11,000	A. G. STEVENS	Friday, Oct. 6, Noon

All steamers are equipped with the Japanese Government Wireless Telegraph and
Post Office.The Screw Steamer TENYO MARU will be despatched for SAN FRAN-
CISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA and HONOLULU,
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(In connection with NATIONAL RAILWAY OF MEXICO AT MANZANILLO)
Only Regular Direct Service to Mexican, Peruvian and Chilean Ports.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGKONG (Subject to Alteration).

Steamer	Tons	Captain	Date of Sailing
KIYO MARU	17,200	S. Togo	Tuesday, Aug. 15, Noon
BUYO MARU	10,500	K. Hasegawa	Saturday, Oct. 14, Noon
HONGKONG MARU	11,000	H. Hasegawa	Wednesday, Dec. 13, Noon

The Steamer 'KIYO MARU' will be despatched for VALPARAISO and
CORONEL, via MOJI, KOBE, YOKOHAMA, HONOLULU, MANZANILLO,
SALINA CRUZ, CALLAO & IQUIQUE, on TUESDAY, the 16th August, at Noon.FARES FROM HONGKONG:
To SAN FRANCISCO..... £45-0-0, Single.
" NEW YORK..... £60-0-0, " "
" LONDON..... £120-0-0, Return 6 months.
" .. £125-0-0, " 24 "SPECIAL RATES (first-class only) are granted to the undermentioned and their
families when travelling at their own expense.To European Ports: Officials of the Japanese Navy, Military, Diplomatic,
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Governments of China and Japan.To Canadian and United States Ports: Commissioned Officers of the United
States Army, Navy, and U.S.A. Consular Officials stationed at ports of call.
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These magnificent steamers are most up-to-date and luxurious in every way.
Excellent Cuisine and Accommodation.The 'TENYO MARU' and 'CHIYO MARU' are fitted with Turbine Engines
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Hongkong, January 27, 1911.

Shipping.

THE EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN
MAIL SERVICE

TO AUSTRALIA.

MAIL SCHEDULE

(Subject to Modification)

STEAMER	ARRIVE HONGKONG FROM AUSTRALIA	LEAVE HONGKONG FOR AUSTRALIA
EMPIRE	July 28	July 22nd, at Noon
ST ALBANS	Aug. 5	Aug. 12th, at Noon
EASTERN		Sept. 16th, at Noon

THE above Steamers are fitted with Refrigerating Machinery, ensuring a plentiful
supply of Ice, Fresh Provisions, etc., and are lighted throughout with Electricity.
All State-Rooms have Electric Fans. A duly qualified Doctor and Stewardess are carried.
For further particulars, apply toGIBBS, LIVINGSTON & CO.
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Hongkong, November 2, 1908.

HONGKONG-NEW YORK.

AMERICAN ASIATIC S. S. CO.



FOR NEW YORK, via PORTS AND

SUEZ CANAL.

(VIA LIBERTY TO CALL AT THE

MALABAR COAST).

S.S. INVERCLYDE..... on Wednesday 26th July, at Noon.

For freight and further information apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & CO.,
General Agents.

Hongkong, July 3, 1911.

Notices to Consignees

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE, COLOMBO AND

STRAITS.

THE Co's Steamship HIRANO MARU, having arrived from the above Ports,
Consignees of cargo are hereby
informed that their Goods are being landed
and placed at their risk in the Godowns and
Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's
Godowns at Kowloon, where such cargo
will be sorted out mark by mark and
delivery can be obtained as soon as the
Goods are landed.Optional Goods will be carried on unless
instructions are given to the contrary be-
fore Noon, To-day.
Goods not cleared before the 26th July,
will be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Damaged Packages must be left in the
Godowns for examination by the Con-
signee's and the Co's representatives at an
appointed hour. All claims must be pre-
sented within ten days of the steamer's
arrival here, after which date they cannot
be recognized. No claims will be admitted
after the goods have left the Godowns.NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.
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Hongkong, July 19, 1911.

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Notices to Consignees

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVI-
GATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

FROM TRIESTE, PORT SAID, SUEZ,
ADEN, BOMBAY, COLOMBO,
PENANG AND SINGAPORE.THE Company's Steamship NIPPON, having arrived, Consignees of Cargo
are hereby informed that their Goods are
being landed at their risk in the Godowns
and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the
Kowloon and Kowloon Wharf and
Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon, whence
delivery may be obtained.This Steamer brings Cargo from
Venice at a.m. 11th, transhipped at
Trieste at a.m. 12th, transhipped at
Bombay.Optional Cargo will be discharged here
unless notice to the contrary be given
immediately.No Claims will be admitted after the
Goods have left the Godowns, and all
Claims must be sent to the Office of the
Undersigned before Noon on the 23rd
July, 1911, or they will not be re-
cognized.All Broken, Chafed, and Damaged Goods
are to be left in the Godowns, where they
will be examined on the 21st inst., at
9.30 a.m.No Fire Insurance has been effected, and
any Goods remaining in the Godowns after
the 23rd July, 1911, will be subject to
rent.Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
SANDER, WIELER & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, July 16, 1911.

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